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**MAIL STOP SEQUENCE** In re Patent Application of Lars A. Hanson et al. Group Art Unit: 1653 Application No.: 09/743,107 Examiner: Chih Min Kam, Ph.D. Filed: August 21, 2001 Confirmation No.: 5780 For: PEPTIDES BASED ON THE SEQUENCE OF HUMAN LACTOFERRIN AND THEIR USE

> **DECLARATION PURSUANT TO** 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825

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